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1. REGRET MISUNDERSTANDING. POST PROPOSED BLANSHARD TO GURC ON BASIS GURC PAYING AIR FARE FOR ENTIRE BLANSHARD FAMILY, USG PAYING HOUSING ALLOWANCE AND SALARY. GURC HAS FORMALLY AGREED TO THIS ARRANGEMENT WHICH REPRESENTS A LARGE ICREASE IN THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO PROGRAM. POST HAS SPENT CONSIDERABLE EFFORT AND GOODWILL IN GETTING GURC AGREEMENT TO THIS PROPOSAL. POST UNABLE TO CHANGE TERMS OF AGREEMENT AT THIS DATE. GURC WOULD NOT RPT NOT CONSIDER FUNDING BOTH HOUSING AND TRANSPORT. POST FULLY AWARE OF SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN COST OF PROGRAM TO USG AND SUGGESTED IN REF E THAT BLANSHARD STIPEND BE REDUCED BECAUSE HE IS GETTING ADDITIONAL BENEFITS OF ADEQUATE HOUSING PLUS PAID FAMILY TRAVEL. PARA 2,
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REF H MEANT TO HAVE DEPT IMPRESS ON BLANSHARD THAT HE

IS GETTING MUCH BETTER TERMS THAN THOSE GIVEN TO
PREVIOUS FULBRIGHTERS. GURC AND USG BOTH SUBSTANTIALLY
INCREASING EXPENSES OF PROGRAM IN ORDER TO MINIMIZE
INCONVENIENCES TO BLANSHARD. AMLIT PROFESSOR POSITION
INTEGRAL AND VERY IMPORTANT PART OF POSTS CU PROGRAM.
BECAUSE POST NEEDS BLANSHARD AND BECAUSE AGREEMENT WITH
GURC UNCHANGEABLE, SUGGEST DEPARTMENT NEGOTIATE REDUCTION
IN BLANSHARD STIPEND IF FALLOUT FUNDS INSUFFICIENT TO
COVER FULL COST OF HOUSING ALLOWANCE.

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